PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Katsusuke SHIMAZAKI et al. Group Art Unit: 2652

Application No.: 09/830,928 Examiner: T. Chen

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For: OPTICAL DISK, DISK SUBSTRATE, AND DRIVING APPARATUS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the January 25, 2005 Office Action, the period for reply being extended by a Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith, and in consideration of the June 17, 2005 personal interview with the Examiner, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.